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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1909.

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Moderator,
Town Clerk,

Almon A. Davis
Cassius M. C. Phillips

SELECTMEN

Cassius M. C. Phillips, Daniel H. Ellis
Lucius E. Parker.

Town Treasurer, David B. Nims
School District Treasurer, David B. Nims
Grand Jurors, Cassius M.C. Phillips, Daniel H. Ellis
Road Agent, Lorenzo W. Davis
Constable, Lorenzo W. Davis
Sexton, David B. Nims

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER

George L. Nye, Cassius M. C. Phillips
Cyrus K. Ellis

FENCE VIEWERS

Lucius E. Parker, Lorenzo W. Davis
George L. Nye

BOARD OF HEALTH

Almon A. Davis, Cassius M. C. Phillips
Cyrus K. Ellis

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Cassius M. C. Phillips, Mabel G. Parker
George L. Nye

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

David B. Nims, Almon A. Davis
Cyrus K. Ellis
Tax Collector, Cyrus K. Ellis

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN AND TREASURER

OF ROXBURY, N. H.,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1910.

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Inventory of Polls and Taxable Property

32 Polls,	\$3,200 00
33 Horses,	4,040 00
4 Oxen	250 00
22 Cows,	680 00
11 Neat Stock,	196 00
61 Sheep,	280 00
3 Hogs,	28 00
Interest money,	1,100 00
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	\$9,774 00

Value of improved and unimproved land and buildings,	\$97,452 00
Value of aqueducts and reservoirs,	14,000 00
Portable saw mill,	800 00

Total Valuation, \$122,026 00

Appropriations and money raised by taxation	
State tax,	\$328 00
County tax,	283 66
Town tax,	400 00
School tax,	307 50
Highways and Bridges,	461 50
State Highway,	178 50
Overplus,	36 48
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Total,	\$1,995 64

Amount committed to tax collector,	\$1,995 64
Rate per cent. state, county, town, school, and highway, \$1 63	
Number of dogs in town April 1, 1909,	6

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DISBURSEMENTS

Ordinary Town Charges

W. H. Spalter, collector's book and mdse.,	\$3 10
Town clerk's office postage and other expenses,	6 00
W. L. Metcalf, printing town reports,	12 00
Keene fire dep't for fire at Edward Cota place,	3 75
Perley W. Ellis, for fighting brush fire,	1 60
L. E. Parker, for sheep killed by dogs,	75 00
Ned Pierce, for slating Town Hall building,	172 36
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	\$273 81

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TOWN OFFICERS

C. M. C. Phillips, salary as 1st selectman,	\$20 00
D. H. Ellis, " " 2nd " ,	15 00
L. E. Parker, " " 3rd " ,	10 00
C. M. C. Phillips, " " town clerk,	8 00
D. B. Nims, " " town treasurer,	6 00
D. B. Nims, " " supervisor,	3 00
A. A. Davis, " " "	3 00
C. K. Ellis, " " "	3 00
Cyrus K. Ellis, " " tax collector,	30 00
C. M. C. Phillips, " " overseer of poor,	2 00
L. W. Davis, " " constable,	2 00
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	\$102 00

OVERSEER OF POOR

There has been no application to the town for aid from the overseer of poor for the year ending February 15, 1910

HEALTH OFFICERS

To The board of Selectmen:

In compliance with the general law, we submit the following report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1910.

No calls have been made for our attention during the year just closed and general good health has prevailed.

Respectfully submitted,

ALMON A. DAVIS,
CYRUS K. ELLIS.

Board of Health

RESIGNATION

December 23, 1909, Cassius M. C. Phillips tendered his resignation to all offices held by him in town, and Lorenzo W. Davis, was appointed town clerk to fill the vacancy, no other appointments being made.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

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EXPENDITURES, LABOR AND SUPPLIES

L. W. Davis, labor and teams,	\$148 76
L. E. Parker, "	66 00
Walter Buckminster,	15 00
Frank O. Wright,	10 00
C. M. C. Phillips,	3 50
D. B. Nims,	14 58
Lewis Dawes,	4 80
Joseph Cota, labor	56 79
W. B. Mark,	42 44
G. L. Mark,	27 69
George Ellis,	40 98
Lester Ellis,	1 56
P. W. Ellis,	37 53
J. B. Holt,	31 71
J. LaBounty,	1 75
A. LaBounty,	28 14
W. R. Kirk,	5 00
W. D. Knight,	2 80
W. F. Parker,	1 44
L. Parker,	50
Earl Russell,	39 69
F. G. Waldo,	4 47
Elmo Starkey,	4 37
Fred Price,	6 13
Chester Price,	9 63
G. M. Towns,	6 50
Colbert & Fuller, sawing plank,	1 00
E. J. Davis, for 58 loads gravel,	5 80

F. G. Waldo, for 12 loads gravel,	1 20
F. W. Davis, for 7 loads gravel,	7 0
F. G. Waldo, blacksmithing,	1 90
Dynamite caps and fuse,	12 15
Knowlton & Stone, mdse.,	4 80
North East Metal Culvert Co., one sluice,	12 60
John Rust, Rail-road iron for bridge,	14 17
Beaver Mills, road railing,	18 36
D. B. Nims, plank,	5 50
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	\$689 94

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

Road Agent

TRUST FUND

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To the selectmen of Roxbury:

We the trustees of the Ruel H. Kingsbury trust fund, respectfully submit the following as a report of such fund for the year ending Feb. 15, 1910. Since our last report this fund has increased from One hundred nine dollars and seventy-two cents to One hundred thirteen dollars and fifty-six cents.

DAVID B. NIMS,
LUCIUS E. PARKER. { Trustees

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen of Roxbury:

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report." I hereby submit the following report for the year ending February 15, 1910.

Respectfully submitted,

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

Town clerk

Births Registered in the Town of Roxbury, for the Year Ending, Feb. 15, 1910.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of
1909									
Nov. 17	Wallace Wayne G.	M	3	George L. Nye	Fannie Gunnison	Roxbury	Roxbury	Boxford, Mass.	
Feb. 3	Louis Lucius	M	2	Joseph LaBounty	Susan M. Fisher	Roxbury	Fall River	Mass.	Winchester NH

Deaths Registered in the Town of Roxbury, for the Year Ending Feb. 15, 1910.

Date 1909	Name	Sex	*S. M or W.	Yrs.	Mo.	Days	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother
Mar. 9	Samuel G. Parker	M	M	33	2	18	Roxbury	Josiah Parker	Rosella Pond
Jan. 16'10	Lydia J. Nye	F	M	64	3	27	Summersworth	Wentworth	Unknown

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

STATEMENT OF JOINT FUND ACCOUNT

Oct. 18, 1909.	Town of Roxbury		
Bal.	1908	1909	Total
Town contribution,	\$24 34	\$178 50	\$202 84
State contribution,	87 27	222 50	309 77
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Total Joint Fund	\$111 61	\$401 00	\$512 61
 Town disbursements, approved,	\$506 57		
State disbursements,	6 41		<hr/>
Total disbursements,			\$512 98
Paid by state to town, Sept. 22,	\$151 68		
Oct. 18,	151 68		<hr/>
		\$303 36	
Overdraft,			37
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PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

The amount required to be set apart in 1908, for permanent improvement in main highways, was One hundred one dollars. (\$101 00) of this amount Ninety-five dollars (\$95 00) has been expended on the Branch Road, reducing of grade by excavating and filling, leaving a balance of Six dollars (\$6 00) unexpended.

In accordance with a previous vote taken at town meeting empowering the selectmen to repair the roof of the Town Hall and Church building, after careful consideration it was thought best to slate the roof, and it was done at an expense of One hundred seventy-two dollars and thirty-six cents. (\$172 36)

RECAPITULATION
DISBURSEMENTS

State tax,	\$328 00
County tax,	283 66
School tax,	65 00
Highways,	594 94
State highways,	506 57
Permanent improvement highways,	95 00
Town charges,	273 81
Town officers,	102 00
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	\$2,248 98

DANIEL H. ELLIS, }
LUCIUS E. PARKER. } Selectmen

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TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Cassius M. C. Phillips was drawn grand juror to attend the April term of superior court, and Daniel H. Ellis was drawn grand juror to attend the Oct. term of superior court.

Annual town meeting was held at the town hall on the second Tuesday of March, 1909, for the election of officers; and raising and appropriating of money.

Respectfully submitted,

LORENZO W. DAVIS,

Town Clerk

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

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ASSETS

Due from collector, for					
" "	"	1901,		\$7	27
" "	"	1902,		19	54
" "	"	1903,		26	89
" "	"	1904,			64
" "	"	1905,			6 14
" "	"	1906,			11 43
" "	"	1907,			24 80
" "	"	1908,			49 29
" "	"	1909,			325 26
					\$471 26

Received from Hon. George G. Davis, and placed in the Cheshire County Savings Bank, as the George G. Davis cemetery fund One hundred dollars, the income of same to be used in caring for the cemetery.

Received from Walter R. Kirk, ten dollars in work on the highways.

In grateful recognition of the interest that has been manifested, we would extend our thanks to all who have in any way aided in maintaining and preserving the welfare of the town.

DAVID B. NIMS, Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing accounts, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALMON A. DAVIS, Auditor.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For The Year Ending Feb. 15, 1910

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Paid town of Marlboro', tuition of Walter and Lawrence Parker,	\$18 00
Paid Keene union school district, tuition of Walter F. Parker, at high-school, George C. Ellis, Florence Gorden, William E. Longver, Isaac R. Longver, and Annie L. Longver, at primary school,	65 00
Paid transportation and mileage of the before mentioned scholars,	68 50
Paid David B. Nims, salary as treasurer,	5 00
Paid C. M. C. Phillips, salary as chairman of school board,	12 00
Paid Mabel G. Parker, salary as member of school board,	10 00
Paid George L. Nye, salary as member of school board,	10 00
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	\$188 50
MABEL G. PARKER, { School Board GEORGE L. NYE. } of Roxbury	

TREASURER'S REPORT

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SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance in treasury, February 13, 1909,	\$28 73
Received balance on town note,	99 10
" part of school money for 1909,	65 00
Total amount received,	192 83
Total amount of orders paid from treasury,	188 00
Balance in treasury,	\$4 83

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ASSETS

Balance of school money for 1909,	\$242 50
DAVID B. NIMS, Treasurer	

Having examined the foregoing accounts. I find
them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALMON A. DAVIS, Auditor

SCHOOL WARRANT

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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the inhabitants of the School District of Roxbury,
qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in-said district on the eighth day of March 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1.—To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
- 2.—To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3.—To choose a Member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
- 4.—To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 5.—To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 6.—To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- 7.—To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools.
- 8.—To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands at said Roxbury this 16th day of February, 1910.

MABEL G. PARKER, { School Board
GEORGE L. NYE. } of Roxbury

A true copy of warrant:

Attest: MABEL G. PARKER, { School Board
GEORGE L. NYE, } of Roxbury

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the inhabitants of the town of Roxbury, in the County of Cheshire, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said Roxbury, on Tuesday, the 8th day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1.—To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2.—To raise such sum of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
- 3.—To raise such sum of money as may be necessary for repairing highways and bridges.
- 4.—To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid, and raise such sum of money as required by law, for permanent improvements in main highways.
- 5.—To see if the town will vote to establish a town library and raise money therefor.
- 6.—To hear the report of the selectmen or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7.—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord 1910.

DANIEL H. ELLIS, } Selectmen of
LUCIUS E. PARKER, } Roxbury

A true copy of warrant—Attest:

DANIEL H. ELLIS, } Selectmen of
LUCIUS E. PARKER, } Roxbury

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